

Programs begin at 10:00 a.m. and are Free! All programs offer an activity, snack and craft.

June 5th: Ready, Aim, Fire There's good fire and bad fire. Come learn the difference and see how important fire is to our ecosystem.

June 12th: <u>Go Green</u> You will be amazed at the various uses of the everyday plants we see around us.

June 19th: <u>Hunters of the Forest</u> Learn about predators of the forest and see how you do hunting for food!

June 26th: <u>Bibbity Bobbity Bugs</u> They may be creepy and crawly, but our lives would be much different without them.

July 10th: <u>Circle of Life</u> Visit with some wild animal friends and learn about the connections in nature.

July 17th: <u>Survivor, Coleman Lake</u> Do you know what to do if you are lost and alone in the woods? After this session, you will!

July 24th: Nature of Fairy Houses Don't believe in the little people? You might after this fun day building a fairy house.



Wild Wednesdays are free environmental education programs held every Wednesday in June and July (except July 4th) at Coleman Lake Recreation Area. Kids learn about nature with a program, activity, craft and a snack. These programs are hosted by the U.S. Forest Service, JSU Field School, and the Friends of the Talladega National Forest.

For more information, call (256) 463-2272

Directions to Coleman Lake

Follow 78 through Heflin and turn left when it splits off from Highway 46. Follow 78 north approximately 8 miles through the small community of Edwardsville until you see the Cane Creek Volunteer Fire Department on your right. Take the road to your left which is County Road 61. Follow County Road 61 until it turns into Forest Service Road 553. (The TOTAL distance from Hwy 78 to the turn to go to Coleman Lake is 8.7 miles...that is on Road 61 and FS Road 553).

Follow 553 until you see the sign on the right which directs you to turn right toward Coleman Lake Recreation Area. You will pass Warden Station Horse Camp on your right and take a right on the next road (Forest Service Road 500). Once you turn on Forest Service Road 500, it's just about a quarter of a mile to Coleman Lake Recreation Area. Entrance will be on your right.

(It's a good little way on the Forest Service road 553, you will pass Big Oak Hunt Camp and the Shoal Creek Church before you get to the turn off for Coleman Lake to the right. If you hit the road where it turns to a dirt/ gravel road, you've gone a bit too far.)

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